

ARIZONA CORPORATION COMMISS



UTILITY COMPLAINT FORM

Investigator: Brad Morton

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Priority: Respond Within Five Days

Opinion

No. 2011

- 100246

Date: 10/21/2011

Complaint Description:

08A Rate Case Items - Opposed

N/A Not Applicable

First:

Last:

Arizona Corporation Commission DOCKETED

Complaint By:

Robert & Patricia

Fitzgerald

Account Name:

Robert & Patricia Fitzgerald

Home

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Street:

Work:

DOCKETED BY

City:

Buckeye

CBR:

State:

ΑZ

Zip: 85396

is:

Utility Company.

Arizona - American Water Company

Division:

Water

Contact Name:

Contact Phone:

Nature of Complaint:

The requested rate increase is absurd. Most homeowners and renters (who probably already lost their homes) are cash-strapped. We cannot tolerate a 10% increase let alone the whopping 83% requested. The inference that the average homeowner will "only" see an approximate \$25/month raise is pure nonsense. Our water bills are consistently above \$200 -- and that's with only two people living in the home and not using a whole lot of water. Do the math -- the figures simply don't compute. Verrado residents have watched our property values decline and been hit hard by the economy, as have so many cities and towns statewide and nationwide. There is no room for massive rate hikes. Please consider this carefully and vote for the working people who do not receive government subsidies while trying to survive as opposed to voting to put an even greater burden on us. Thank you. *End of Complaint*

Utilities' Response:

Investigator's Comments and Disposition:

Opinion docketed

End of Comments

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